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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

ANDHRA PRADESH STATE LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY - The Andhra Pradesh State Legal Services Authority Service Rules, 1999 – Amendment – Orders - Issued.

LAW (L.A. & J – HOME - COURTS-B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.136,

Dated: 10/12/2021.
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.219, Law (LA &J-Home –Courts.A1) Department, dated 21.12.1999.
2. G.O.Ms.No.47, Law (LA &J-Home –Courts.A1) Department, dated 25.04.2011.
3. G.O.Ms.No.294.Finance (SMPC.I) Department, dated 09-09-2010.
4. G.O.Ms.No.224.Finance (SMPC.I) Department, dated 28-09-2011.
5. G.O.Ms.No.266.Finance (SMPC.I) Department, dated 27-09-2012.
6. From the Member Secretary, A.P. State Legal Services Authority, ROC.No.36-E1/ APSLSA/2021,dated:01.04.2021.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 6th read above, the Member Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Legal Services Authority has stated that in exercise of the powers conferred under sections 6, 8(A), 9, 11(A) and 28 of the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 read with the Andhra Pradesh State Legal Services Authority Rules, 1995, the State Government in consultation with the Hon'ble Chief Justice, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, made the A.P. State Legal Services Authority Service Rules,1999 in the reference first read above. Subsequently, certain amendments were made to the Service Rules, in the reference 2nd read above. Thereafter, the State Government have sanctioned the posts of Drivers to A.P. State Legal Services Authority, Superintendents to the District Legal Services Authorities and Senior Assistants to certain Mediation Centers, in the references 3rd, 4th and 5th read above respectively. In order to incorporate those posts, certain amendments are required to be made to the A.P .State Legal Services Authority Service Rules, 1999. In these circumstances, as approved and directed by the Hon'ble Chief Justice, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Amaravathi certain Amendments are proposed to be made to the Service Rules, 1999.

2. The Member Secretary has forwarded the Andhra Pradesh State Legal Services Authority Service (Amendment) Rules, and requested to issue necessary Orders amending the Service Rules, 1999.

3. The Government, after careful examination of the matter have decided to amend the Andhra Pradesh State Legal Services Authority Service Rules, 1999 issued in G.O.Ms.No.219, Law(LA &J-Home – Courts.A1)Department, dated 21.12.1999.

4. Accordingly, the following Notification will be published in the Extra Ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette: 10.12.2021.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section(6) of section 6, sub–section (6) of section 8-A, sub–section (6) of section 9, sub–section (4) of sections 11-A, section 28 of the Legal Services Authorities Act,1987 (Central Act No. 39 of 1987), read with Rules 6,7,8,9,11,12,14, and 15 of the Andhra Pradesh State Legal Services Authority Rules, 1995, the State Government in consultation with the Chief Justice of the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, hereby makes the following amendments to the Andhra Pradesh State Legal Services Authority Service Rules, 1999 issued in G.O.Ms.No.219, Law(L.A &J.Courts.A1)Department, dated 21st December, 1999 as subsequently amended from time to time.

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AMENDMENT

In Andhra Pradesh State Legal Services Authority Service Rules, 1999,-

I. In rule 3,

1. In sub-rule (a), in Division – II under the heading Non- Gazetted, after "Category - 4: Record Assistant" the following entry shall be inserted namely "Category -4 (a) : Driver".

2. In sub-rule (b) after the words "District Legal Services Authorities", the words "Mediation Centers in the District" shall be inserted.

3. In sub-rule (b) in Division – III for the expression "Category- I: Senior Assistant" the expression "Category- I: Superintendent" shall be substituted.

4. In sub-rule (b) in Division – III after the expression "Category- I: Superintendent" the expression "Category- I(a): Senior Assistant" shall be substituted.

II. In rule 4, in sub-rule (d) after the words "District Legal Services Authorities" the words "Mediation Centers in the Districts" shall be inserted.

III. In rule 5, in the table there under,-

1. in column No. (1), in the entry Category-4 of Division–I :

(a) Section Officer, in column (2) in the entry (1) after the words "or Category-I" the words "Category- I(a)" shall be inserted.

2. in column No. (1), in the entry Category-4 of Division–I :
(b) Accounts Officer in the entry (1) in column No. 2 after the words "or Category-I" the words "Category-I (a) shall be inserted.

3. After heading "Non- Gazetted" the following entry shall be added,-

Category- I of Division – III Superintendent	a). By Promotion from category – 1 (a) of Division– III, or Category-1 or Category-2 of Division – II; or b). By transfer or deputation on tenure basis from the Andhra Pradesh State Judicial Ministerial Service or any other service from among the Senior Assistants or Senior Stenographers possessing the general and special qualifications prescribed for the post, whose services are placed at the disposal of the Andhra Pradesh state Legal Services Authority or the High Court Legal Services Committee, or the District Legal Services Authority or the Mediation Centers in the Districts; or c). By direct recruitment.

4. In column No. (1) under the heading Non- Gazetted for the words "Category-I" the words "Category-1 (a)" shall be substituted.

5. In Category- III of Division – II, in column (2) after "Category-4" the words "or Category-4 (a)" shall be inserted.

6. In column No (1) after the words "Category-4 of Division-II" the word "Category-4 (a), Driver" shall be inserted.

IV. In rule 9, in sub-rule (1) after the words "in the District Legal Services Authority" the words "Mediation Centers in the Districts shall be inserted.

V. In rule 15, in sub-rule (1) after the words "in the District Legal Services Authority" the words "Mediation Centers in the Districts shall be inserted.

VI. In Schedule- II, in the table thereunder in column No. (1) and (2) for serial No. (8) the following entries shall be substituted in column No.(1) and (2) respectively:

"8---------- Driver
8(a)---------- Record Assistant.

VII. In Schedule- III, in the table thereunder in column No. (1) and (2) for serial No. (1) the following entries shall be substituted in column No.(1) and (2) respectively:

"1---------- Superintendent
1 (a) ----------Senior Assistant.

VIII. In Schedule- V, in the table thereunder the entries in Zone-5, Zone-6 in column No. (1) and (2) shall be deleted.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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